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- \underline{X} 22 sheets of specification and claims
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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Your applicants, Jennifer Houtler and Douglas P. Gibbs, inventors of CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATION ORGANIZATION, application for which is submitted concurrently herewith (RAP Docket No. 4413-A1), certify that this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, and respectfully request that the application not be published at eighteen months.

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